For the One who carved the islands / has come to live among us, And this is the house He has chosen, / St. Mary Star of the Sea. — Anne Porter

GREETERS AND SERVERS—NEXT WEEK FEB. 3/4, 2018

REMINDER: Servers and Greeters, not Parish staff, are responsible for finding a substitute once a schedule is disseminated. Thanks. **ALTAR SERVERS**

SAT 9:00 am: Spanish Assigned SAT. 5:30 pm: Edward Carder SUN. 8:15 am: Isaac and Elias Johnson SUN. 11:00 am: Maggie Anderson GREETERS

SAT. 8:45 am: Carmen Boling SAT. 5:30 pm: Judith and Richard Smith SUN. 8:15 am: Judy Atkinson and Kim Hammers SUN. 11:00 am: Kathie Ryan and Mark Ortmeier

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

O Most Blessed Mother, Heart of Love, Heart of Mercy, ever listening, caring, consoling, hear our prayers. As your children, we implore your intercession with Jesus, receive with understanding and compassion the petitions we place before you today. Amen.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 5:30 PM: For the repose of soul of Lena, as requested by her granddaughter and family.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 8:15 AM: For the repose of the soul Clara Segura on the first anniversary of her death, as requested by her daughter Nenita and Michael Chvilicek.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 11:00 AM: For the repose of the soul of Betty Klinedinst, as requested by her son-in-law Vaughn Bradshaw.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

12:05 am: COMMUNION SERVICE 1:00 pm: Rosary Makers--Hall 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church **TUESDAY, JANUARY 30** 12:05 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church 6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church 6:30 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE 7:00 pm: RCIA--Hall

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1 12:05 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

FRIDAY, FRIDAY 2

THE PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD IN THE TEMPLE 12:05 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE 1:00 pm: St. Mary's Book Club Meeting--Rm. 6 1:00-Midnight: Adoration--Chapel 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

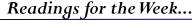
Midnight-9:00 am: Adoration--Chapel 9:00 am: COMMUNION SERVICE 10:00 am: Spanish--Hall 4:30 pm: Rosary 4:30 pm: CONFESSIONS 5:30 pm: **MASS**

SUNDAY, FERUARY 4

8:15 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR) 9:30 am: Religious Education--Classrooms 11:00 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR) 12:30 pm: Theology Kettle--Hall 5:00 pm: Rosary 5:00 pm: Port Townsend Chorus--Hall

THE PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD-FEB. 2

In fulfilment of the Jewish law our Lord was presented by his family in the temple on the 40th day after his birth... a simple event. Then a man named Simeon walked up and proclaimed, "LORD, now you can let your servant depart in peace; for my eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people: to be a light to the gentiles and to be the glory of Thy people Israel." A simple event just became a significant one that ushered in a new world that has been changed forever!



MONDAY TUESDAY 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13 Psalms 3:2-7 Mark 5:1-20

WEDNESDAY: 2 Samuel 18:9-10, 2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17 14, 24-25, 30--19:3 Psalms 32:1-2, 5-7 Psalms 86:1-6 Mark 6:1-6 Mark 5:21-43

THURSDAY: 1 Chronicles 29:10-Mark 6:7-13

FRIDAY: 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12 Malachi 3:1-4 Psalms 24:7-10 Hebrews 2:14-18 Luke 2:22-40

SATURDAY: 1 Kings 3:4-13 Psalms 119:9-14 Mark 6:30-34

SUNDAY Job 7:14, 6-7 Psalm 147:1-6 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23 Mark 1:29-39



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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 27/28, 2018



PLEASE GREET OUR VISITING PRIEST WARMLY

Fr. Dwight Lewis will join us again as our visiting priest this weekend at all Masses. Please give him a wonderful welcome back to our Parish.

COFFEE HOUR SCHEDULE

There will not be a coffee hour after the Masses this weekend



BREAKFAST BENEFIT FOR LIZETH SALCEDO

The Knights of Columbus will host a Breakfast Benefit for Lizeth Salcedo (the oneyear-old who recently received a heart transplant)

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on Sunday, February 4th following both Masses. The Knights will forward donations to the Children's Organ Transplant Association (COTA) into an account designed for Lizeth. Checks can be drafted to COTA; a 501 ©, marked for Lizeth Salcedo. If you are unable to attend the breakfast you can also donate on line at www.COTAforLizethS.com.

CELEBRATE GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST BY MASS, SACRAMENTS, AND PRAYER; LIVE CHRIST'S LOVE BY SERVING OTHERS, ESPECIALLY THE POOR, NEGLECTED, AND SUFFERING; GROW IN THE TRUTHS AND VALUES OF OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION, TEACH THEM TO OUR CHILDREN, AND PROCLAIM THEM TO THOSE WHO DO NOT KNOW THEM."



AROUND THE PARISH





ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MONTHLY COLLECTION The regular first Sunday collection for our St. Vincent de Paul Society will be taken up at all Masses next weekend. Your generosity helps to

address many hidden needs in our local communities.



ST. VINCENT **DE PAUL** CHALLENGE

We have another St. Vincent de Paul CHALLENGE **DONATION!!!** Thanks to a VERY generous parishioner, we have been given **\$2,000.** Currently we have received \$1,513 towards our goal but we need to MEET or BEAT the \$2,000 in order to receive the funds!! We still have a little time but a good ways to go as well! Please MARK YOUR ENVELOPES with ... "St. Vincent de Paul CHALLENGE" and either put them in the Sunday collection basket or drop them off at the Parish Office by January 31st.

"OUR MISSION IS TO ...



MORE NEWS ...



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 27/28, 2018



FROM THE DESK OF FATHER PETER ADOKO-ENCHILL...

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 27/28, 2018

The Punishments of Sin To understand this

doctrine and practice of the Church, it is necessary to understand that sin has a *double consequence*. Grave sin deprives us of communion with God and therefore makes us incapable of eternal life, the privation of which is called the "eternal punishment" of sin. On the other hand every sin, even venial, entails an unhealthy attachment to creatures, which must be purified either here on earth, or after death in the state called Purgatory. This purification frees one from what is called the "temporal punishment" of sin. These two punishments must not be conceived of as a kind of vengeance inflicted by God from without, but as following from the very nature of sin. A conversion which proceeds from a fervent charity can attain the complete purification of the sinner in such a way that no punishment would remain.

The forgiveness of sin and restoration of communion with God entails the remission of the eternal punishment of sin, but temporal punishment of sin remains. While patiently bearing sufferings and trials of all kinds and, when the day comes, serenely facing death, the Christian must strive to accept this temporal punishment of sin as a grace. He should strive by works of mercy and charity, as well as by prayer and the various practices of penance, to put off completely the "old man" and to put on the "new man."

Father Peter

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

(PLEASE NOTE THAT BETWEEN JANUARY 9, AND FEBRUARY 9, COMMUNION SERVICES WILL BE HELD ON ALL WEEKDAYS DURING FR. PETER'S VACATION)

VACATION.)		
SÁBADO MISA EN SPAÑOL	,	9:00 am
Saturday Vigil		5:30 pm
SUNDAY	8:15 am &	11:00 am
Monday		12:05 pm
TUESDAY ** COMMUNION	SERVICE	12:05 pm
Wednesday		6:30 pm
Thursday		12:05 pm
Friday		12:05 pm
(Confessions 30 minutes prior	to each Mass)	



TROUBLED MARRIAGE? HOPE IS A PHONE CALL AWAY

Are you struggling in your marriage? You are not alone.

Retrouvaille can help. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning **March 16-18, 2018** call **206-706-2608** or visit our website at <u>www.HelpOurMarriage.com</u>.



BOOK CLUB MEETING

The next meeting of St. Mary's Book Club will be Friday, February 2, at 1:00 pm. The

book for discussion will be: "The

Journey to the East," by Herman Hesse. Liz Sabo will be the discussion leader. The meeting will be in the Parish Hall in Room 6. All are welcome to attend.

<u>Parish Stewardship</u>		
Week of 1/21/2018		
Week #30		
Week / Semana		
Actual / Colecta Real	\$ 5,224.92	
Budgeted / Presupuesto	<u>\$ 7,382.49</u>	
	< \$ 2,157.57>	
Year to Date / Año Corrido		
Actual / Colecta Real	\$ 229,003.15	
Budgeted / Presupuesto	<u>\$ 221,474.70</u>	
	\$ 7,528.45	



"POST HOLIDAY LETDOWN"

The Bereavement Support Ministry Will Host A Sharing Session Sunday, January 28

On Sunday, January 28, at 12:30 pm the Bereavement Support Ministry will host a "Sharing Session" instead of their regular monthly meeting format in the Chapel. The topic will be "**Bah Humbug: Post Holiday Letdown**". The facilitator will be Professional Counselor Martina Abba-Richard. The post-holiday season can be especially difficult for many people for many reasons and the "post holiday let down" can sadly impact their lives. All are welcome to attend this session.



ST. JOSEPH HEALING RETREAT

Retreat Theme "I Thirst"

Ft. Worden Conference Center Port Townsend, WA February 16, 17, 18, 2018

This is a charismatic healing retreat with two priests and a Bishop Emeritus presiding. It will include three Masses with praise and worship music, confession and healing prayer, time with priests, prayer teams available, a chance for a powerful deepening of your relationship with the Lord as well as personal healing, and time to enjoy the beautiful Ft. Worden setting. All dorm rooms are now sold out! Commuters pay just \$75 - meals are an additional cost - see registration forms in this week's bulletin. For more information call Kathy Moore (360) 353-8598 or email at stjoheal@outlook.com.

MORE PARISH NEWS



SEÑIOR SANTO NIÑO DE CEBU CELEBRATION **LAST WEEKEND**

The first Señior Santo Niño Celebration for our parish was an especially festive one. It also commemorated the first anniversary of the installation of our statue of Santo Niño de Cebu. The celebration included members of the Filipino Community from neighboring communities as well as those from our own parish. The pageant to honor the infant Jesus (Santo Niño) was an exciting addition to our 11:00 Mass with its special music, costumes and processions. The following luncheon was DELICIOUS which included many specialties of the Filipino people as well as those lovingly made by our parishioners!

Please note the beautiful new placement of the Santo Niño statue in the vestibule as you leave church.

Maraming salamat!



ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE COMING

Please start saving your gently used items for the Annual Rummage Sale. The sale will take place on March 2 and 3. The event is sponsored by the Ladies Guild, Knights of Columbus and the St.

Vincent de Paul Society-- "It's better than a trip to Hawaii in March!"